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| BACKBOARD AND METHOD OF |) | DINK1 |
| MAKING SAME |) | |
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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Honorable Sir:

The *Office Action* from Examiner Phi Dieu Tran A of Art Unit 1792, dated 10 July 2008, has been received and carefully reviewed. In response, Applicant filed a *Response and Amendment* (“*Response*”) on 12 January 2009 within six months of the *Office Action*. Applicant now submits this *Supplemental Response and Amendment* (“*Supplemental Response*”). Applicant respectfully submits that the cited references neither anticipate, teach, nor suggest the currently claimed embodiments of the present invention, and requests allowance of the pending claims.